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SUBJECT: PARTNERSHIP FOR DEMOCRATIC GOVERNANCE: SWEDEN'S  
DECISION STILL PENDING

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1.(u) Polcouns discussed 9/18 Sweden's position on becoming a founding member of the Partnership for Democratic Government with MFA Democracy and Civil Society desk officer Karin Hoglund. Hoglund said she expected a final political decision on joining would be made at the political level by September 21. She did not expect Sweden would make a financial contribution, but endorsement of the Declaration of Principles was still being considered.  
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